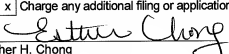


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Applicant(s): Kwang-Jo HWANG				
Invention: METHOD OF PATTERNING A METAL LAYER IN A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE				
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The amendment herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
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